

VARE DEMOUNCES PENROSE REFORM

Likens Him to Old Fox Who May Lose His Hair, but Not His Tricks

CAN'T FOOL PEOPLE, HE SAYS

"An old fox may lose his hair, but he doesn't lose his tricks. This, in a nutshell, is the gist of Senator Edwin H. Vane's comment on an article prepared by Senator Penrose on "Municipal Reform in Philadelphia," which has been widely circulated here and in other large cities, particularly in Washington.

Statement by Vane: Senator Vane's statement follows: "Citizens who have the interest of the city at heart will do well to consider the latest 'reform' declaration by Senator Penrose in the light of his past record and performance.

Yesterday's Philadelphia newspapers carried a statement by Penrose on "Municipal Reform in Philadelphia." He, he explains, somewhat pained because the Legislature failed to incorporate in the new charter a provision giving Philadelphia comparison municipal elections.

Checked by Governor: "How does this statement concerning nonpartisan municipal government fit with his performance in the matter? Last month when he was in Harrisburg, 'taking charge' of the Legislature, on the same day that he gave out a statement advocating nonpartisan government for Philadelphia, his followers in the Legislature, under his direction, passed a law which destroyed nonpartisan government in twenty-eight or thirty third-class cities in this state.

Brought Defeat of Party: "Taxpayers will well remember that Penrose and his friends a few years ago tried to take the gas works away from them and sell it to the United Gas Improvement Company, and the attempt resulted in the defeat of the Republican ticket in this city and state.

MODEST HERO GETS CROSS: Sergeant O'Brien Was Unaware Honor Awaited Him

Sergeant Thomas A. O'Brien, of the 325th Infantry, entered the army recruiting office, 11th and Arch streets, yesterday and modestly requested a victory button.

When O'Brien had confirmed this statement, Captain Pease continued excitedly: "And you led your platoon at Talaourt last October when the German commander was killed. And you went ahead yourself and slung three machine-gun nests with hand grenades. And you took your objective and saved your men and got wounded three times in doing it. Didn't you?"

56 QUALIFY AS CLERKS: 42 Men and 14 Women Certified for Municipal Appointments

Two eligible lists containing the names of forty-two men and fourteen women who have qualified for the position of clerk in the municipal department, paying a salary of \$1900 to \$1200 a year, have been made public by the Civil Service Commission.

COAL MEN FEAR INQUIRY: Arthur S. Leary Warns Them Not to Raise Retail Prices

Warning to retail coal dealers not to increase prices has been made by Arthur S. Leary, of this city, assistant to the president of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company.

TO FLY ACROSS CONTINENT: Captain Francis Plans Only One Stop Between New York and Seattle

Dayton, O., July 25.—(By A. P.)—Captain Roy N. Francis left McCook field at 6:08 o'clock this morning in a Martin bomber plane for a nonstop flight to New York, where in a few days he will start on a transcontinental trip to Seattle.

WANTS DIVISION OF GUARD: Adjutant General Beary Back From Washington Conference

Adjutant General Frank D. Beary, who has just returned from Washington after a conference with War Department officials relative to the strength of the new National Guard, is hopeful that it can be started with all of the units needed to comprise a tactical division in skeleton form at least.



MISS ANN ORR: The musical comedy prima donna, who appeared here in "Leave It to Jane," is engaged to Lieutenant Archibald MacNeil, U. S. N., according to her closest friends.

PLAN STATE CLINICS FOR CHILD DEFECTIVES

Governor Signs Bill Which Will Permit Discovery of Special Needs

Handicapped children of Philadelphia will be given a better chance hereafter to obtain an education and vocational training. Governor Sprout's approval of the Lattin-Bill, which provides for special training for handicapped children in the public schools, gives local experts who have been working along these lines a chance to extend their efforts.

CITY MEN RUN BELLEVUE

Stotesbury, Cuyler, Atterbury, Cassatt and Mitchell Interested

Five Philadelphia men are included in the group of eleven who will incorporate under the title of the Bellevue Street Railway Company this corporation for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a hotel in Philadelphia.

BOYS ROB SCHOOL

Youths Arrested at Westville, N. J., Charged With Theft

Thieving propensities of boys whose ages range from twelve to fourteen years are giving the police of Gloucester much trouble. Bread and milk have been taken from the doorsteps of houses in various parts of town.

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Shubin's Body Recovered

The body of Samuel Shubin, 1630 South Fourth street, who was drowned in the Schuylkill river Wednesday, when a canoe upset at Flat Rock dam, was recovered today close to the Dill & Collins Paper Mill.

MORE AGENTS PROBING BEER CASES

Warrants Issued for Arrest of Fourteen Saloon Men—Open Bars Decrease

AUTHORITIES NONPLUSED

Six more special agents of the Department of Justice have been sent to this city from Washington to aid United States District Attorney Kane in his attempt to clear up the beer-sales question.

Kane Has Hard Job: The task confronting Mr. Kane in his effort to stop beer selling hereabouts can be realized when it is known that it will require probably \$20,000 and nearly a year's time to round up even a large part of the brewers and saloon men making and selling beer in the eastern district of Pennsylvania, embracing nine counties, in addition to Philadelphia.

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Army Investigators Round Up Five Men Accused of Murder Plotters at Coblenz Auctions

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YOUTHS HELD FOR FRAUD: Two Arrested for Obtaining Automobile by False Pretense

Charles Veltzen, the fifteen-year-old son of Rudolph V. Veltzen, a jeweler, of Frankford avenue near Indiana avenue, was arrested today on a warrant charging him with obtaining an automobile by false pretense.

WILSON VISITS BAKER

Also Calls on Lansing, Leaving White House Unattended

ASK NEW FOOD INQUIRY

Democratic Probers Fear "Dumping" of Surplus Would Aid Speculators

MAN OF 76 DROWNED

Body of David Scanlon Recovered at Low Tide at Bristol

SEVENTEEN CIGARMAKERS ARE FINED

Seventeen of the nineteen striking cigarmakers, mostly plants, who were arrested at the plant of Seidenberg & Co., Camden, were fined \$5 each today by Recorder Stackhouse on charges of disorderly conduct.

THE WHIP, WINNER AT MONMOUTH



The Whip, entered by Miss Constance Vanclein, of Philadelphia, in the Monmouth County Horse Show, at Hollywood Park, Long Branch, N. J., won blue ribbons three times yesterday at the opening day. Miss Vanclein emerged from the day with four blues and two seconds.

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SABOR TO GO FREE TODAY UNDER BAIL

Glassboro Police Uncover Evidence Supporting His Story of Murder

BURY WIFE TOMORROW

Charles Sabor, the Glassboro grocer, held in Woodbury jail on the charge of having killed his wife Clara, who was murdered in bed, will probably be freed today.

Two handkerchiefs, believed by the police to have been used by burglars implicated in the shooting in the Sabor home, have been found, one in the backyard of the Sabor residence, the other at the railroad station where the canceled checks were found.

Search for Suspects: Search is being made for Alexander Barvenik, a Pole, declared to have a vicious reputation throughout New Jersey.

WANT PRINCE HERE: Governor Thinks It Fitting Wales Should Visit City

Governor Sprout expressed his regret today upon learning that the itinerary of the Prince of Wales does not include a visit to this city.

BOY HANGS SELF BY BELT: Homestead Youth Suspends Himself From Atlantic City Hotel Bedpost

Atlantic City, July 25.—Charles Brown, fifteen-year-old son of a druggist at Homestead, Pa., committed suicide here last night by hanging in a room at a hotel near the beach.

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PLANNING CAMPAIGN FOR CHEAPER FOOD

Mayor's Commission Meets to Investigate Market Facilities Here

Facilities needed for quick and cheap wholesale and retail distribution of food commodities will be discussed this afternoon at the organization meeting of the commission appointed by Mayor Smith to investigate the situation here.

The meeting will be held in Councils' finance committee room, 406 City Hall. The call was issued by Joseph S. MacLaughlin, director of supplies, chairman of the commission.

Wants Foreign-Born to Be Educated in Sanitation Matters

Dr. Krusen believes a propaganda of education carried on especially among the foreign-born will ultimately lead to the elimination of disease breeding in the congested districts.

TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES

James M. Hoxon, Jr., 412 1/2 Monmouth st., and Anna C. Neer, 1851 E. Monmouth st., 4:45 p. m.

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AIR-MAIL SERVICE DISCONTINUED HERE

Lacking a Suitable Landing Place, City Ceases to Be a Station of Call

ORDER WAS UNEXPECTED

This city is no longer a "port of call" for the airplanes carrying the mail between Washington and New York.

When the air mail service was first started, the rate of postage was fixed at twenty-five cents an ounce. Letters were immediately delivered to the persons or firms to whom they were addressed, as if special delivery stamps had been affixed.

When the airplanes stopped at Bustleton the mail carried by them from Philadelphia went to Bustleton by a circuitous route. The Postoffice Department transported it to Broad Street Station and delivered it by train at the North Philadelphia station.

BOYS ADMIT MILK THEFT: Gloucester Youngster to Be Given Hearing by Mayor Anderson

John O'Rourke, Horace Battersby and Lester Crismold, all of whom are fourteen years old, were taken into custody by the Gloucester police yesterday on charges of stealing milk from Gloucester doorsteps.

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